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Government making terrific propaganda concerning report that aircraft now in Tapachula, Mexico, was forced down by their gunfire and its pilots were Americans (last paragraph EMBEL 1053, June 20). There have been three bulletins issued, one by Minister of Government, one by Secretariat of Presidency and another by Minister of Defense. Please give me guidance in answering these charges. Department might also wish to make statement on this.

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